# 13 FAM 800 TRAINING FOR NON-STATE DEPARTMENT INDIVIDUALS

## 13 FAM 810 TRAINING OF FAMILY MEMBERS

(CT:TPD-001; 05-20-2004) (Office of Origin: FSI)

#### 13 FAM 811 GENERAL INFORMATION

### 13 FAM 811.1 Authority

(CT:TPD-001; 05-20-2004) (Uniform State/USAID/BBG/Commerce/Agriculture) (Applies to Foreign Service Employees)

- a. Section 704 of the Foreign Service Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 4024), as amended, authorizes the training of family members.
- b. Section 705 of the Foreign Service Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 4025), as amended, authorizes the making of grants to family members for training.

### **13 FAM 811.2 Policy**

(CT:TPD-001; 05-20-2004) (Uniform State/USAID/BBG/Commerce/Agriculture) (Applies to Foreign Service and Civil Service Employees)

- a. It is the policy of the Department, of State USAID, and the Department of Agriculture to assist family members of mission or foreign affairs employees to acquire the knowledge and skills, including foreign language proficiency, that may be beneficial when accompanying their employee-family member abroad. The Department of Commerce, only, authorizes language training for spouses who are expected to accompany the employee to post. It is an optional expenditure. Such training may be authorized when budget permits.
- b. The Foreign Service Institute (FSI) has the responsibility for providing, to the extent that resources permit and space is available, appropriate training for family members of Foreign Service and other U.S. Government personnel prior to assignment abroad. The FSI program may

include appropriate training for eligible family members of all ages.

### 13 FAM 812 THROUGH 819 UNASSIGNED